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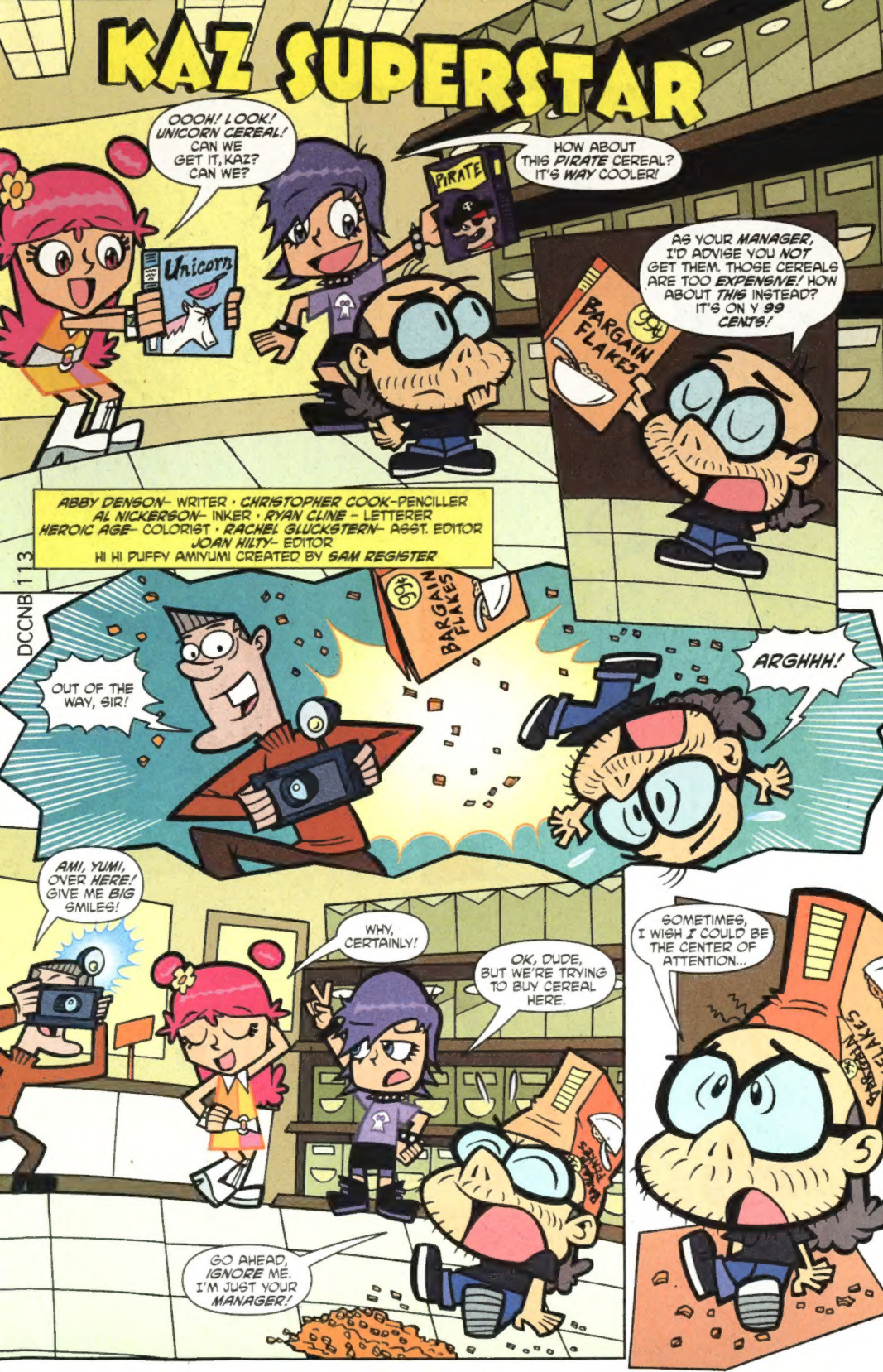
KAZ SUPERSTAR
OOOH! LOOK! UNICORN CEREAL! CAN WE GET IT, KAZ? CAN WE?
Unicorn
HOW ABOUT THIS PIRATE CEREAL? IT'S WAY COOLER!
PIRATE
AS YOUR MANAGER, I'D ADVISE YOU NOT GET THEM. THOSE CEREALS ARE TOO EXPENSIVE! HOW ABOUT THIS INSTEAD? IT'S ONLY 99 CENTS!
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OUT OF THE WAY, SIR!
ARGHHH!
AMI, YUMI, OVER HERE! GIVE ME BIG SMILES!
WHY, CERTAINLY!
OK, DUDE, BUT WE'RE TRYING TO BUY CEREAL HERE.
GO AHEAD, IGNORE ME. I'M JUST YOUR MANAGER!
SOMETIMES, I WISH I COULD BE THE CENTER OF ATTENTION...

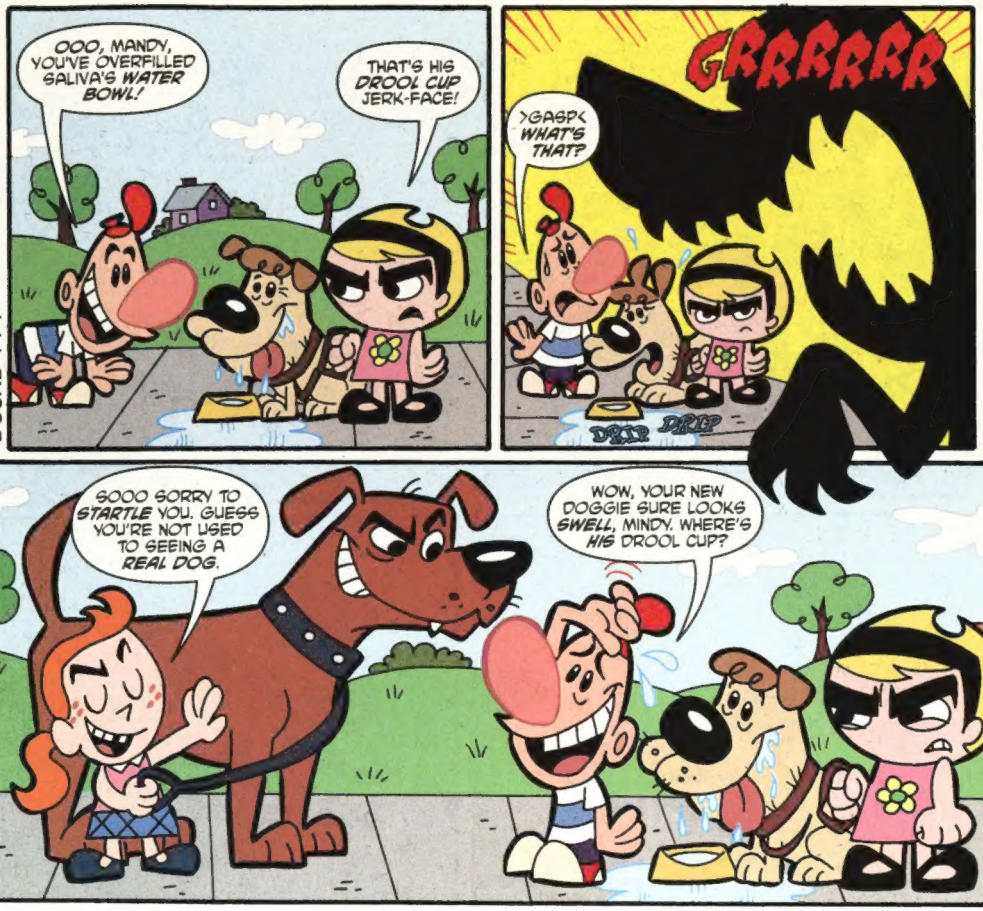
I AM SO EXCITED! TODAY STARTS THE NEW SEASON OF MY FAVORITE SHOW, INTERNATIONAL SUPERSTAR!
YOU AND EVERYBODY ELSE. I DON'T KNOW WHY IT'S SO POPULAR TO WATCH UNTALENTED PEOPLE MAKE FOOLS OF THEMSELVES ON TV.
YUM!! THE SHOW IS ABOUT GOING FOR IT! REACHING FOR THE STARS! LIVING YOUR DREAM! PLUS, THEY DO HAVE TALENTED SINGERS PERFORM.
ONLY AFTER HUMILIATING MOST OF THE BAD CONTESTANTS. HEY, WHERE'S KAZ? I HAVEN'T SEEN HIM AROUND IN A WHILE.
HE LEFT A NOTE THIS MORNING SAYING HE WAS AWAY ON BUSINESS. OH, IT'S STARTING!
HI, AND WELCOME TO INTERNATIONAL SUPERSTAR! WE HAVE A LOT OF TALENTED CONTESTANTS HERE READY TO STRUT THEIR STUFF! AND THE JUDGES ARE READY TO MAKE THEIR CALLS!
THAT'S RIGHT, AND YOU KNOW WE'LL BE LOOKING FOR THE CREAM OF THE CROP!
WE WON'T HESITATE TO CUT ANYONE WHO ISN'T ON TOP OF THEIR GAME.
BUT WE'LL GIVE EVERYONE A FAIR CHANCE!

OKAY, SO OUR FIRST CONTESTANT TODAY IS KAZ!
KAZ?!
I WORK HARD FOR THE MONEY, SO HARD FOR THE MONEY. I WORK HARD FOR THE MONEY, SO YOU BETTER TREAT ME RIGHT!
SMASH
SMASH
SMASH
HIDO! YO!
HEY! THE JUDGES DIDN'T EVEN VOTE!
BOOT
IT WAS UNANIMOUS!

OH, KAZ I'M PROUD OF YOU, YOU FOLLOWED YOUR DREAM.
YEAH, BUT I STUNK!
RING
MOST OF THOSE CONTESTANTS STINK ANYWAY! THEY DON'T ROCK AT ALL! INTERNATIONAL SUPERSTAR, WHO NEEDS IT? HMPH!
MOSHI MOSHI!
IT'S FOR YOU, KAZ! IT'S AN ADVERTISING COMPANY. THEY LOVED YOUR PERFORMANCE AND WANT YOU TO SING IN A COMMERCIAL!
I'LL TAKE THAT CALL!
KAZ ALREADY HAS A HUGE ONLINE FOLLOWING! THERE ARE NOW 2,578 FAN SITES FOR HIM!
GOOD FOR HIM!
WAIT, THAT'S MORE THAN WE HAVE!
GIRLS, I JUST LANDED A RECORD DEAL, 5 COMMERCIALS, AND A GIG AT BUDOKAN!
BUDOKAN! WE'VE WANTED TO PLAY THERE FOR AGES!
WELL, YOU CAN OPEN FOR ME.
THANKS...
WHO KNEW THAT SUCH BAD SINGING WOULD BE SO POPULAR?

HELLOOOO TOKYO!
LET'S ROCK!
WE WANT KAZ!
WE WANT KAZ!
SPLAT
ARRGH!
I CAN'T BELIEVE WE OPENED FOR KAZ!
I CAN'T BELIEVE HIS FANS BOOED US OFF THE STAGE!

THE WORST OF IT IS OUR OWN CAREERS HAVE BEEN STALLING WHILE HE TOURS THE WORLD! OUR TOUR SCHEDULE IS A SHAMBLES AND SALES ARE GOING DOWN. WE NEED A NEW MANAGER!
A NEW MANAGER? BUT I LIKE KAZ. YOU CAN'T FAULT HIM FOR FOLLOWING HIS DREAM. I DO MISS HIM THOUGH. HE'S BEEN SO BUSY...
=SIGH= MY SUPERSTAR DREAM CAME TRUE, BUT I'M STILL NOT HAPPY! BEING A SOLO ACT IS TOUGH. IT'S LONELY ON THE ROAD!
CAVIAR
HAM
MOST OF ALL, I MISS HANDLING OTHER PEOPLE'S MONEY! MAKING MY OWN MONEY IS OK. BUT MAKING MONEY OFF OTHER PEOPLE'S HARD WORK-- NOW THAT'S MY CALLING!
THAT'S IT! I HATE BEING A SUPERSTAR. I QUIT!
CAVIAR
CAVIAR
HAM
FUDGE
GIRLS! I'M BACK! I'M RENOUNCING MY SUPERSTAR LIFESTYLE TO BE YOUR MANAGER AGAIN!
YES!
THIS ONE'S FOR KAZ, HE'LL ALWAYS BE A STAR TO US!
GO, GO, SUPERSTAR!
ROCK ON, GIRLS!
End



PEST IN SHOW

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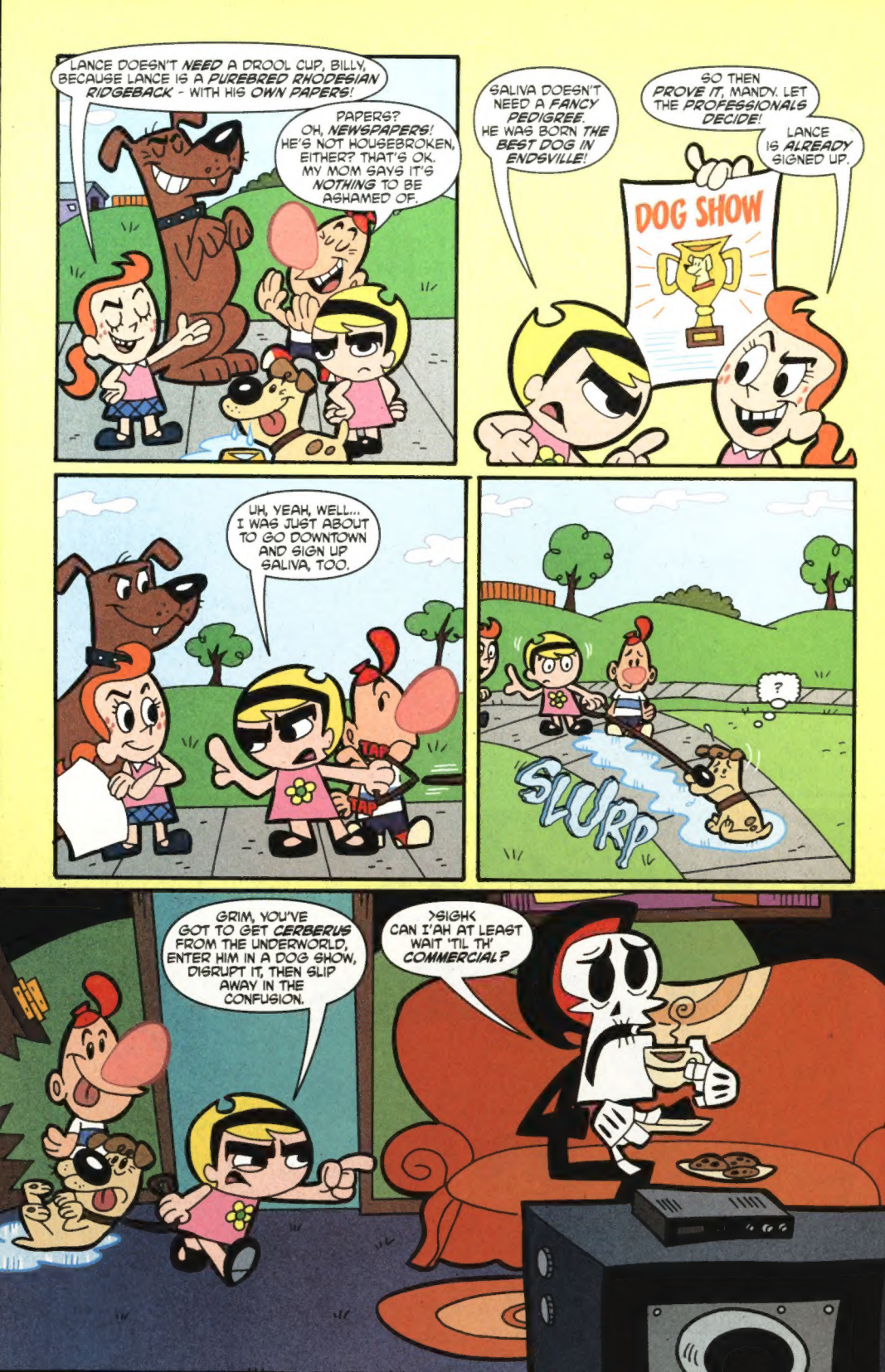
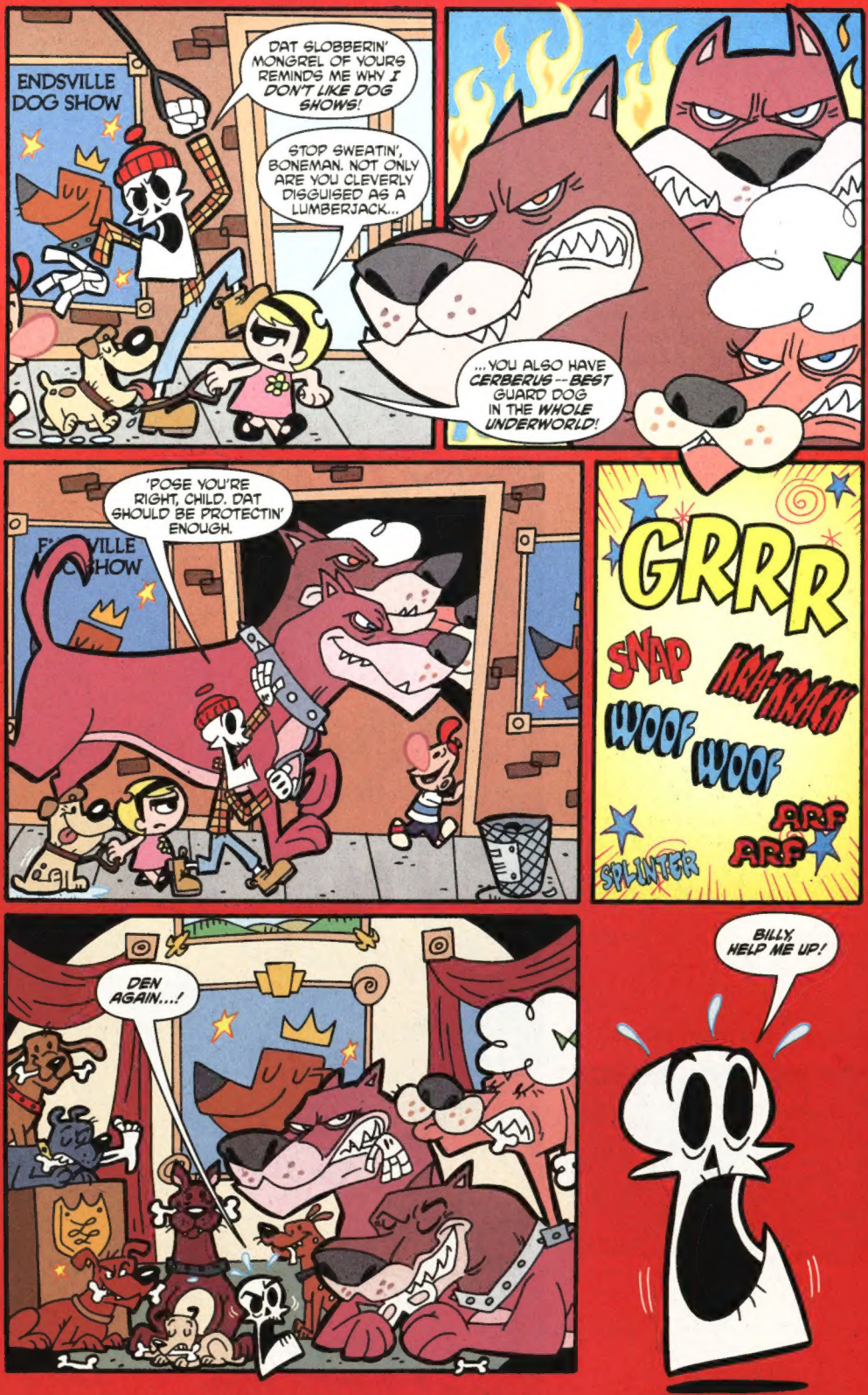
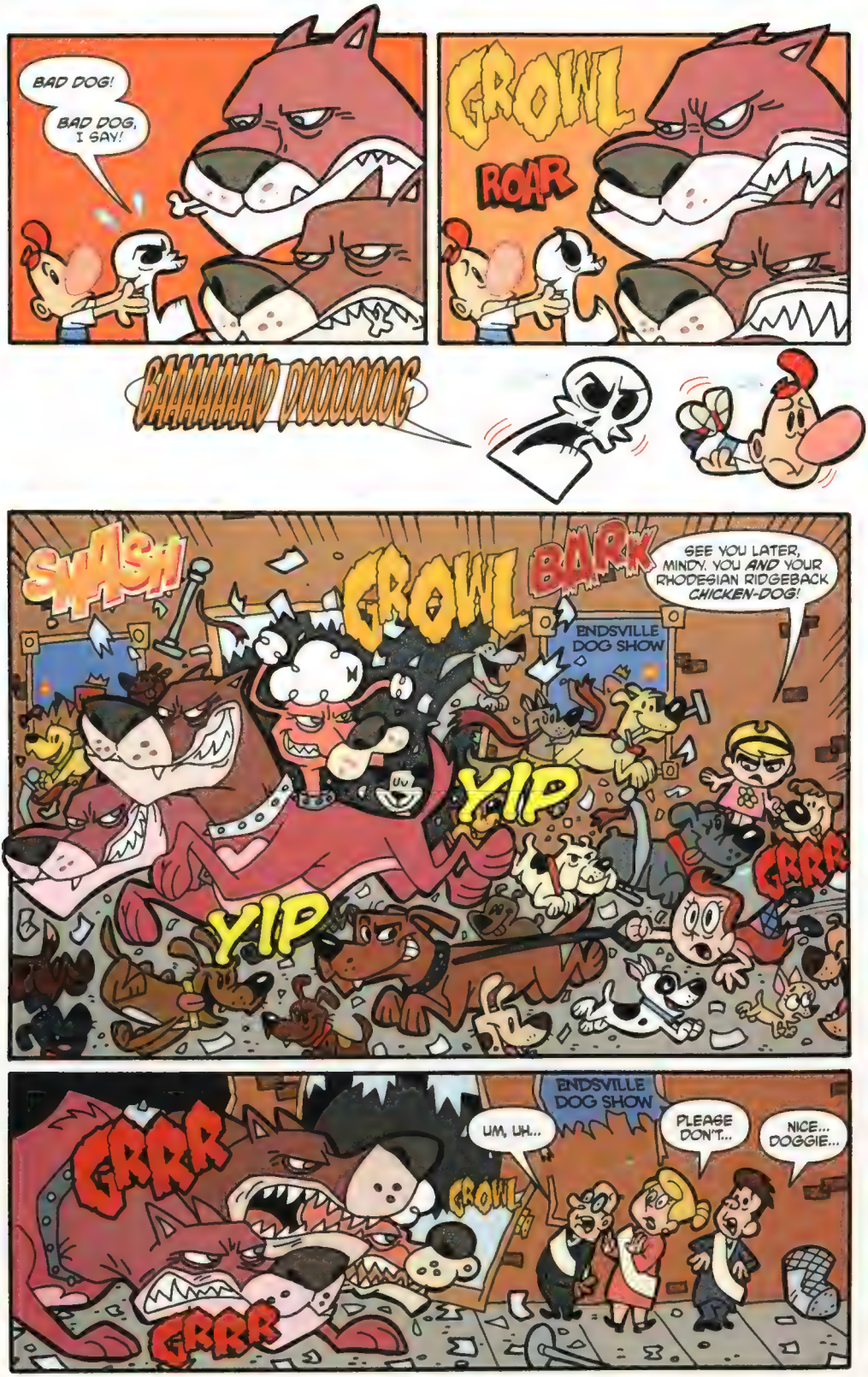
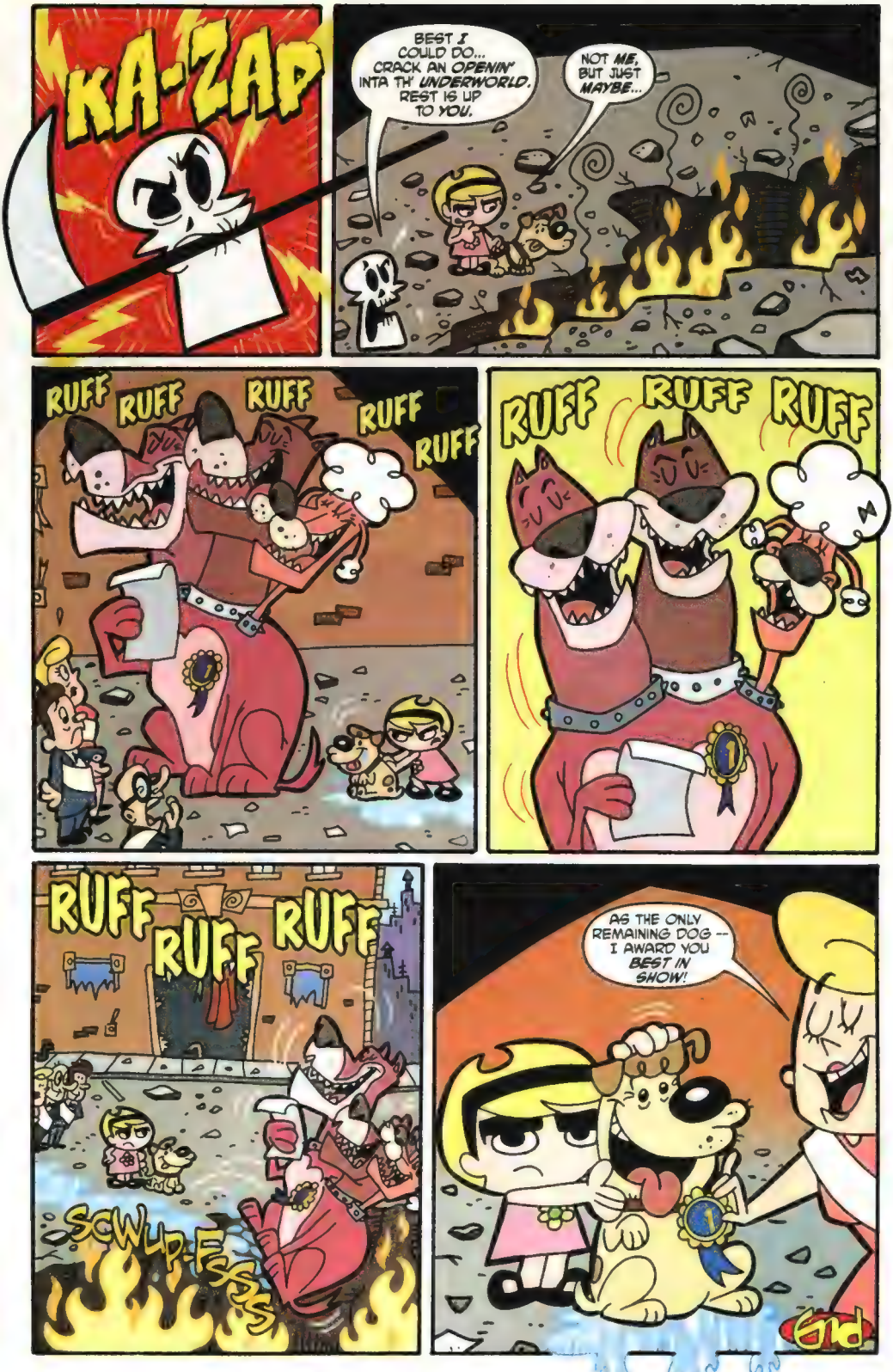

LANCE DOESN'T NEED A DROOL CUP, BILLY, BECAUSE LANCE IS A PUREBRED RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK - WITH HIS OWN PAPERS!
PAPERS? OH, NEWSPAPERS! HE'S NOT HOUSEBROKEN, EITHER? THAT'S OK. MY MOM SAYS IT'S NOTHING TO BE ASHAMED OF.
SALIVA DOESN'T NEED A FANCY PEDIGREE. HE WAS BORN THE BEST DOG IN ENDSVILLE!
SO THEN PROVE IT, MANDY. LET THE PROFESSIONALS DECIDE!
LANCE IS ALREADY SIGNED UP.
DOG SHOW
UH, YEAH, WELL... I WAS JUST ABOUT TO GO DOWNTOWN AND SIGN UP SALIVA, TOO.
TAP
TAP
?
SLURP
GRIM, YOU'VE GOT TO GET CERBERUS FROM THE UNDERWORLD, ENTER HIM IN A DOG SHOW, DISRUPT IT, THEN SLIP AWAY IN THE CONFUSION.
>SIGH< CAN I'AH AT LEAST WAIT 'TIL TH' COMMERCIAL?


ENDSVILLE DOG SHOW
DAT SLOBBERIN' MONGREL OF YOURS REMINDS ME WHY I DON'T LIKE DOG SHOWS!
STOP SWEATIN', BONEMAN. NOT ONLY ARE YOU CLEVERLY DISGUISED AS A LUMBERJACK...
...YOU ALSO HAVE CERBERUS --- BEST GUARD DOG IN THE WHOLE UNDERWORLD!
'POSE YOU'RE RIGHT, CHILD. DAT SHOULD BE PROTECTIN' ENOUGH.
GRRR
SNAP
KRA-KRACK
WOOF
WOOF
ARF
ARF
SPLINTER
DEN AGAIN...!
BILLY, HELP ME UP!


BAD DOG!
BAD DOG, I SAY!
GROWL
ROAR
BAAAAAAAAD DOOOOOOG
SWASH
GROWL
BARK
SEE YOU LATER, MINDY. YOU AND YOUR RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK CHICKEN-DOG!
ENDSVILLE DOG SHOW
YIP
YIP
GRRR
ENDSVILLE DOG SHOW
UM, UH...
PLEASE DON'T...
NICE... DOGGIE...
GRRR
GROWL
GRRR

AHHHHHHHHHHHHHH
WE GOTTA DO SOMETHING!
AAAH!
HERE!
GRRR?
GROWLL!
RUFF
RUFF
RUFF
RUFF
WHAT?!
IT'S PREPARED AN ACCEPTANCE SPEECH?!
GRIM, QUICK -- THIS IS OUR CHANCE! SEND YOUR DEMON DOG BACK!
'N JUST HOW I'AH BE HOLDIN' MY SCYTHE TO DO IT?!
WHAAAAT?


KA-ZAP
BEST I COULD DO... CRACK AN OPENIN' INTA TH' UNDERWORLD. REST IS UP TO YOU.
NOT ME, BUT JUST MAYBE...
RUFF RUFF RUFF RUFF RUFF
RUFF RUFF RUFF
RUFF RUFF RUFF
SCWLP-ESSS
AS THE ONLY REMAINING DOG -- I AWARD YOU BEST IN SHOW!
End

12:00 AM [38] MOVIE "IT LURKS IN THE NIGHT!" - HORROR 1:35 (1958) A GROUP OF TOURISTS STRANDED IN A HAUNTED CASTLE FIND THAT THEY ARE NOT ALONE. IS THE MYSTERIOUS STRANGER A MAD SCIENTIST, OR IS IT HIS DEADLY CREATION? WRITER: JOHN ROZUM, PENCILLER: SCOTT ROBERTS, INKER: SCOTT MCRAE, LETTERER: RYAN CLINE, COLORIST: HEROIC AGE, LAB ASSISTANT, RACHEL GLUCKSTERN, MAD SCIENTIST: JOAN HILTY.
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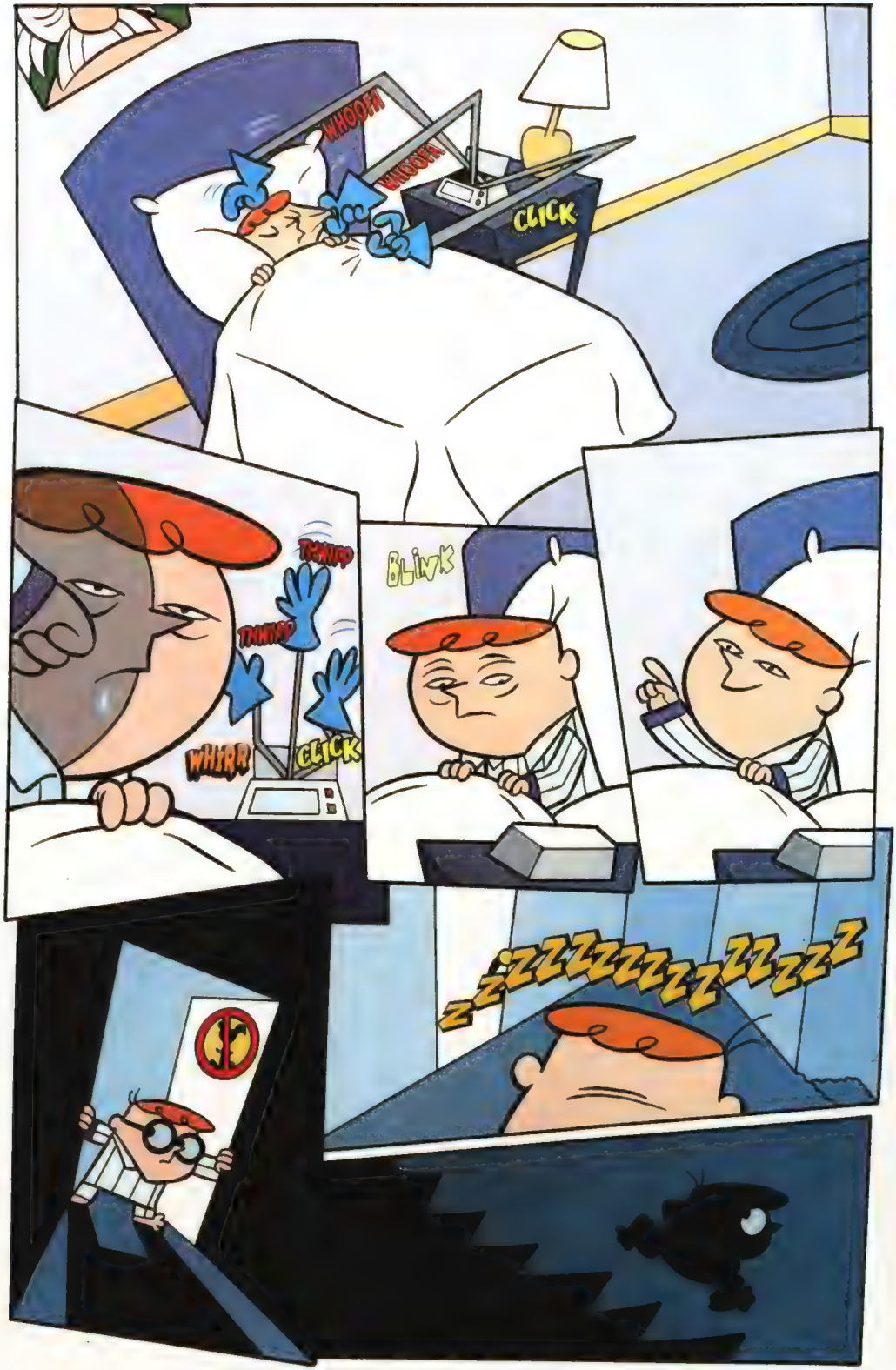
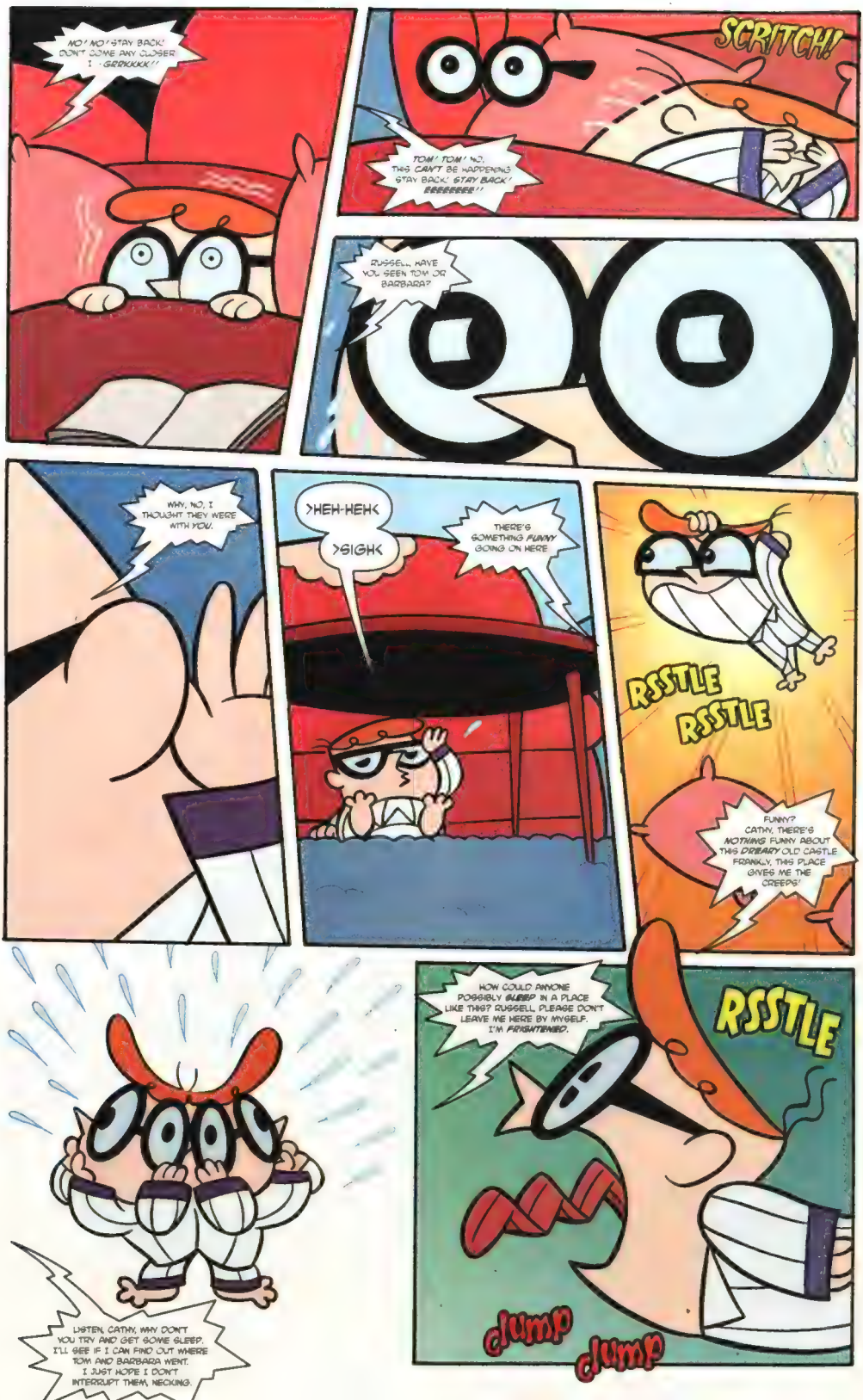
12:00 AM

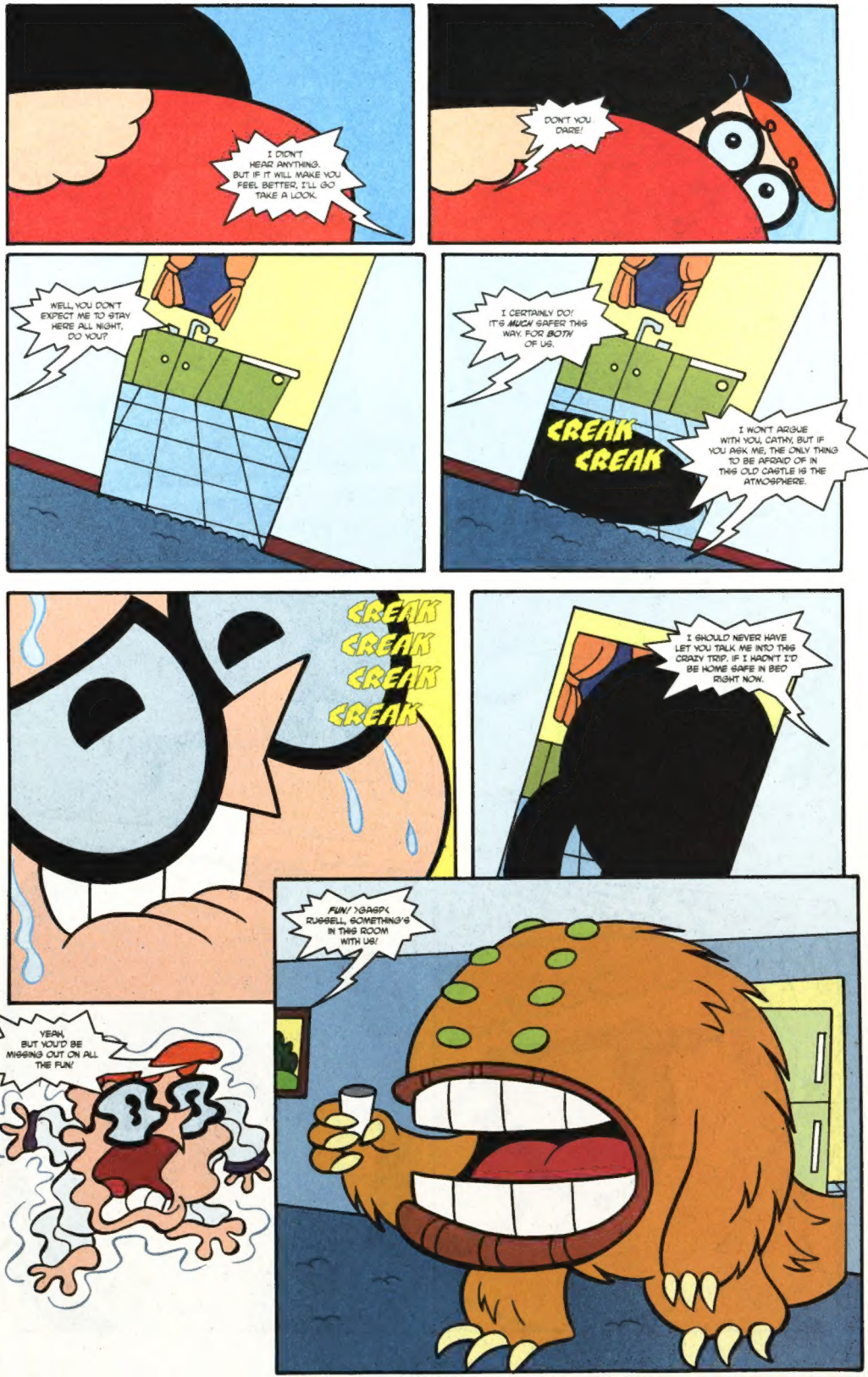

WHOOSH
WHOOSH
CLICK
BLINK
WHIRR
CLICK
Z Z Z

SQUEAK
ZZZZ
CLICK

...I AM YOUR HOST, ABNER CADAVER...
...HERE IN CADAVER MANOR, WHERE MANY OF THE MOVIES I SHARE WITH YOU...
...ARE AS MOLDY AS MY SURROUNDINGS...
VOL
...AND SHOULD PROBABLY REMAIN UNDISTURBED IN THE VAULT, LIKE THE REST OF MY FAMILY.
TONIGHT, WE'LL READ SOME FIEND MAIL FROM OUR VIEWERS, AND ANNOUNCE A CREEPY NEW CONTEST, BUT FIRST-- TONIGHT'S TRULY TWISTED AND TERRIBLE--I MEAN TERRIFYING MOVIE: "IT LURKS IN THE NIGHT!"
IT WAS HORRIBLE. I'M TELLING YOU, TOM, WHATEVER IT WAS, IT WASN'T HUMAN--OR, AT LEAST IT'S NOT HUMAN NOW.
BARBARA, YOU'RE LETTING YOUR IMAGINATION GET THE BETTER OF YOU. I'M GOING TO SHOW YOU THAT THERE'S NOTHING BEHIND THIS DOOR BESIDES SOME MUSTY OLD FURNITURE.
TOM, PLEASE, I BEG OF YOU, DON'T OPEN THAT DOOR!
GRRRRRRRRR!!!
GOOD LORD, BARBARA, YOU WERE RIGHT! EEEEEEEEEEE!!!


NO! NO! STAY BACK! DON'T COME ANY CLOSER I - GRRKKKK!!
SCRITCH!
TOM! TOM! NO, THIS CAN'T BE HAPPENING! STAY BACK! STAY BACK! EEEEEEEE!!
RUSSELL, HAVE YOU SEEN TOM OR BARBARA?
WHY, NO, I THOUGHT THEY WERE WITH YOU.
>HEH-HEH<
>SIGH<
THERE'S SOMETHING FUNNY GOING ON HERE
RSSTLE
RSSTLE
FUNNY? CATHY, THERE'S NOTHING FUNNY ABOUT THIS DREARY OLD CASTLE FRANKLY, THIS PLACE GIVES ME THE CREEPS!
HOW COULD ANYONE POSSIBLY SLEEP IN A PLACE LIKE THIS? RUSSELL, PLEASE DON'T LEAVE ME HERE BY MYSELF. I'M FRIGHTENED.
RSSTLE
clump
clump
LISTEN, CATHY, WHY DON'T YOU TRY AND GET SOME SLEEP. I'LL SEE IF I CAN FIND OUT WHERE TOM AND BARBARA WENT. I JUST HOPE I DON'T INTERRUPT THEM, NECKING.

GOLLY, CATHY, YOU ACT AS IF YOU EXPECT SOME SORT OF MONSTER TO SHOW UP!
clump
clump
clump
IF THERE IS, I'D LIKE TO SEE IT GET INTO THIS ROOM. THIS PLACE IS BUILT LIKE A FORTRESS!
I DON'T KNOW ABOUT MONSTERS, BUT I CAN'T SHAKE THE FEELING THAT THERE'S SOMETHING ELSE IN THIS OLD CASTLE WITH US
CREEEEEEEK
DON'T JOKE, RUSSELL. I, FOR ONE, WOULD MOST CERTAINLY NOT LIKE TO SEE IT GET INTO THIS ROOM.
CREAK
CREAK
CREAK
CREAK
CREAK
SHH, RUSSELL, DID YOU HEAR SOMETHING? IT SOUNDED LIKE IT WAS RIGHT OUTSIDE THIS ROOM!


I DIDN'T HEAR ANYTHING. BUT IF IT WILL MAKE YOU FEEL BETTER, I'LL GO TAKE A LOOK.
DON'T YOU DARE!
WELL, YOU DON'T EXPECT ME TO STAY HERE ALL NIGHT, DO YOU?
I CERTAINLY DO! IT'S MUCH SAFER THIS WAY. FOR BOTH OF US.
CREAK CREAK
I WON'T ARGUE WITH YOU, CATHY, BUT IF YOU ASK ME, THE ONLY THING TO BE AFRAID OF IN THIS OLD CASTLE IS THE ATMOSPHERE.
CREAK CREAK CREAK CREAK
I SHOULD NEVER HAVE LET YOU TALK ME INTO THIS CRAZY TRIP. IF I HADN'T I'D BE HOME SAFE IN BED RIGHT NOW.
FUN! >GASP< RUSSELL, SOMETHING'S IN THIS ROOM WITH US!
YEAH, BUT YOU'D BE MISSING OUT ON ALL THE FUN!

>SIGH<
IT IS ONLY YOU.
YOU'RE IMAGINING THINGS. NOTHING COULD GET IN HERE. BOTH DOORS ARE CLOSED AND LOCKED FROM THE INSIDE.
WHAT ARE YOU DOING OUT OF THE LABORATORY?
I CAME DOWN FOR A GLASS OF MILK AND ACCIDENTALLY WALKED OUTSIDE INSTEAD OF INTO THE KITCHEN.
THEN I GOT LOCKED OUT, AND COULDN'T REMEMBER UNDER WHICH BUSH YOUR MOTHER HID THE FLOWER POT WITH THE SPARE HOUSE KEY.
THERE, BEHIND THE CURTAIN!
WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN ME IN WATCHING THE "SHOCK THEATER" MOVIE?
NAH. THOSE MOVIES GIVE ME NIGHTMARES.
ME TOO.
CATHY, RUN, WHILE I TRY TO PUSH WHATEVER IT IS OUT THE WINDOW!
COME ON. LET'S GO BACK TO BED.
END

SEND YOUR LETTERS TODAY:

JOHNNY DC SAYS: LET THE MAIL BEGIN!

Hi and Yo, I'm Johnny DC, your pal behind the pictures! I read and enjoy all of the letters you send to this comic book and also CARTOON NETWORK ACTION PACK. You're sending some awesome letters to make Ami and Yumi feel welcome to the BLOCK PARTY!

And next issue, you can welcome FOSTER'S HOME FOR IMAGINARY FRIENDS!!

DAVID MILLER from Colorado sent us a funny character he created, which I'm going to print with the heroes in ACTION PACK. Look for that in CNAP #6, next month!

DRAWING BY ELIZABETH KLOSKY, AGE 6

Dear Johnny DC,

I am a fan of the Cartoon Network shows like CAMP LAZLO, THE LIFE AND TIMES OF JUNIPER LEE, MY GYM PARTNER'S A MONKEY, and TOM & JERRY. Did DC Comics ever make a TOM & JERRY comic?

DC should make comics like CAMP LAZLO and JUNIPER LEE. I know you have HI HI PUFFY AMIYUMI on the block!

Alex A.
Anaheim, California

No, a different company used to publish TOM & JERRY, Alex. Now that company doesn't print any comics (but it makes some great puzzle books).
You may know by now that JUNIPER LEE appears every couple of months in CARTOON NETWORK ACTION PACK. And – get ready – CAMP LAZLO is coming to CARTOON NETWORK BLOCK PARTY – wait for it – next issue!!
— Johnny DC

"I'M SMALL, LIKE A COMIC!" BY ALEX A.

Dear Johnny DC,

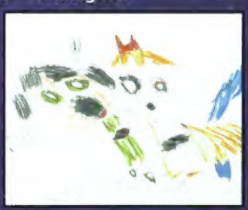
I love your comics! Yesterday I got HI HI PUFFY AMIYUMI issue 1 and issue 2, and the story I liked the best was "Tiki Torture." My favorite part was when a bird pooped on Yumi's head. That was too funny!

I even like the HI HI PUFFY AMIYUMI cartoon series, and I have seen most of the episodes.

Remember, Johnny DC, keep making good comics!

Samantha Clark
Ravenna, Nebraska

I will try, Samantha! You help us make good comics when you write letters like this one, saying what you liked. In fact, since you liked that bird, I'm sending him flying over to visit you!
— Johnny DC



DRAWING BY ELIZABETH KLOSKY, FROM NEW YORK

Dear Johnny DC,

I just finished reading "To Love Some Bunny" in issue #19. I think it was great. When Bubbles let free the dust bunnies, or whatever they were, they kind of looked like ghosts!

And when Bubbles knocked the cake right in Buttercup's face; that was so funny! I love your comics!

Addison Johnston, age 8
Halifax, Nova Scotia

DRAWING BY ADDISON JOHNSTON

Dear Johnny DC,

I made my own Powerpuff Girl – Bloom. Her powers are all of the Powerpuff powers and teleportation and fire breath. She loves to study. I want the girls' opinion.

Jane Huff, age 9
England

Bubbles is always happy to make a new friend. Buttercup thinks Bloom is being a bit piggy with all of those powers!
— Johnny DC

DRAWING BY JANE HUFF

Write to Johnny DC!
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JOHNNY DC's DC IN DEMAND!

SUMMER'S ALMOST GONE! READ MORE COMICS!!!

CARTOON NETWORK ACTION PACK #4

The return of Ben 10, Juniper Lee, and the Powerpuff Girls' rivals, the Rowdyruff Boys!

SCOOBY-DOO #111

The ghoulish Ghastley family is back! Plus, Shaggy and Scooby investigate a disappearance at their favorite fast food chain!

See you next month with more comics!

JUSTICE LEAGUE UNLIMITED #24

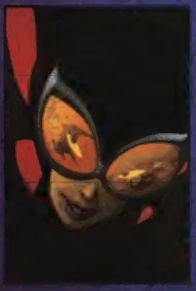
Starro has taken over the minds of the Justice League! Can Martian Manhunter defeat this monster from outer space?

LOONEY TUNES #141

Porky takes Sylvester in for a dental check-up, but the doctor believes all toothaches can be cured by brain removal!

CARTOON NETWORK BLOCK PARTY #24

Kaz is tired of Ami and Yumi hogging the spotlight – he's ready for fame! Plus, Grim's prize-winning hound: Cerberus!



THE BATMAN STRIKES! #24

Catwoman's planning an art heist, but how can Batman and Batgirl watch her when other dangerous criminals are loose as well?

TEEN TITANS GO! #34

Kid Flash versus Mas y Menos in a race around the world!

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